GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
LOK SABHA

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QUOTA FOR ALLOTMENT OF LPG AGENCIES AND PETROL PUMPS
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Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a): whether the ban on discretionary quota with regard to LPG agencies and Petrol Pumps has been withdrawn;

(b): if so, the categories under which this discretionary quota is applicable;

(c) : whether social workers and post graduate unemployed persons are also included in the discretionary quota;

(d): the number of Petrol Pumps and LPG agencies allocated so far under the discretionary quota; and

(e): the categories to which the said allotments have been made?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINIST OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)

(a) to (c): The Government have revived the discretionary quota of retail outlet dealerships/LPG distributorships/ SKO-LDO dealerships for allotment on genuine compassionate grounds to deserving persons in the following two categories:

(i) Dependants of Defence/ Paramilitary/Police personnel, who are killed in action or persons permanently disable d while performing their duties and have not been suitably rehabilitated;

(ii) Dependants of Central/State Government employees, who are killed or permanently disabled while performing their duties and have not been suitably rehabilitated.

(d) & (e): No allotment under the discretionary quota has been made by the Government so far.